

2003 PAIMI Report

State: Vermont

Program Name: Vermont Protection & Advocacy, Inc

PROGRAM FUNDING

Federal Award \$ FY 2004	Outside Funding Sources					Total Income
	Earned Income	IOLTA	State	Private	Other	
\$ 400,000	\$ 28,012	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 428,012

CHARACTERISTICS OF CLIENTS SERVED

Total Clients Served	Client Age					
	0-4	5-20	21-59	60-64	65 & over	Unknown
231	-	14	204	6	7	-

Total Clients Served	Client Gender		
	Male	Female	Unknown
231	150	81	-

Total Clients Served	Client Ethnicity/ Race						
	Hispanic	American Indian/ Alaska	Asian	Black/ African American	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	White/ Caucasian	Other
231	1	42	1	1	4	-	182

Client Living Arrangement								
Total Clients Served	Independent Living	Parental or Family Home	Comm. Resid. Home for Children/ Youth 0-18 yrs	Foster Care	Nursing Home	Psych Wards	Public Institutes	Private Institutes
231	55	4	15	-	-	79	-	-

Legal Detention	Prison	Homeless	Multiple Living	Unknown
1	3	73	1	-

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DISTRIBUTION OF COMPLAINTS INVOLVING ABUSE

Number of Abuse Complaints Closed	Inappropriate/Excessive		Involuntary			
	Medication	Physical Restraint	Medication	ECT	Aversive Behavior Therapy	Sterilization
119	23	9	3	-	1	-

Complaints Concerning							
Failure to Provide Mental Health Treatment	Failure to Provide Medical Treatment	Physical Assault	Sexual Assault	Staff Threats of Retaliation	Coercion	Financial Exploitation	Other
50	6	2	3	10	9	3	-

DISTRIBUTION OF COMPLAINTS INVOLVING NEGLECT

Number of Neglect Complaints Closed	Failure to Provide for Appropriate							
	Res./ Inpatient Admission	Trans. To/From Treatment Facility	Mental Health Diagnostic	Medical Diagnostic	Personal Care	Safe Environ.	Personal Safety	Written Treat. Plan
90	25	-	7	3	6	11	5	5

Rehab. Voc. Prog.	Discharge Planning	Institution Release	Other
-	16	12	-

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DISTRIBUTION OF RIGHTS COMPLAINTS

Number of Rights Complaints Closed	Discrimination in:		Denial of:				
	Housing	Employment	Reimbursement and Entitlement	Guardianship	Rights Protect or Legal Asst.	Privacy	Recreational Opportunities
80	3	2	3	5	7	1	3

Denial to:		Failure to Provide:			Problems with Advance Directives	Denial to Family Rights
Visitors	Access to Records	Confidentiality	Informed Consent	Education		
4	4	4	2	4	7	5

Problems with:				Denial to:	Other
Consumer Finance Issues	Immigration	Criminal Justice Issues	Health Insurance Managed	Community Habilitation Services	
-	-	5	6	-	-

DEATHS REPORTED/INVESTIGATIONS CONDUCTED

Deaths Reported from Mental Illness Facilities	Investigations Conducted
6	6

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INTERVENTION STRATEGIES TO ADDRESS INDIVIDUAL CLIENTS

Types of Interventions							
Total Intevention Strategies	Short Term Assistance	Abuse Neglect Investigation	Technical Assistance	Admin. Remedies	Negotiation/ Investigation	Legal Remedies	Other
274	130	56	43	5	38	2	-

NON-CASE DIRECTED SERVICES

Number of Services and Clients Impacted			
Non-Litigation Advocacy		Class Action Litigation	
2	200	3	1,000

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DISTRIBUTION OF ADVISORY COUNCIL PRIMARY IDENTIFICATION

Total	Primary Identification of Advisory Council Members							
	Recipients/ Former Recipients	Families of Recipients/ Former Recipients	Mental Health Service Providers	Mental Health Professionals	Attorneys	Knowledge- able Individuals	Other	Vacancies
11	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-

PAIMI STAFF ETHNICITY AND GENDER

Total Number of PAIMI Staff	Ethnicity and Race						
	Hispanic	American Indian or Alaskan	Asian	Black or African American	Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	White	Information Not Available
12	-	-	-	-	-	12	-

Total Number of PAIMI Staff	Gender		
	Male	Female	Information Not Available
12	4	8	-

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Total Number	Ethnicity						
	Hispanic	Native American/ Alaskan	Asian	Black/ African American	Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	White	Not Available
11	-	1	-	3	-	7	-

Total Number	Gender		
	Male	Female	Information Not Provided
-	-	-	11

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNING BOARD PRIMARY IDENTIFICATION

Total Number of Governing Board Members	Primary Identification		
	R/FR MHS GB	Family Members GB	Others Who Represent or are Knowledgeable
14	7	1	6

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DISTRIBUTION OF PAIMI PROGRAM ADVOCACY ACTIVITIES

PAIMI Program Advocacy Activities		
Information & Referral	Education/ Training Activities	Total Persons Trained
304	32	425

Information Dissemination Activities							
Radio/ TV Appearances	News Articles	PSAs/ Videos	Reports Disseminated	Publications Disseminated	Information About P & A	Hits on Website	Total # of Individ. Provided w/ Info
5,000	8,000	-	-	-	-	1,069	14,830